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Richard B. Olfene of Auburn, Maine, was elected Imperial Potentate for the Shrine of North America at the 109th Imperial Council Session in Denver, Colo.



PARDON OUR DUST*by William D. Smith, Member KTS*

Construction will be underway at the Anek, and KTS wishes to apologize for any inconveniences that may occur during this period. The first stage of construction will be the renovation of the Ladies rest room. We will expand this facility. To accomplish this improvement the floor has to be excavated to uncover the drain and water pipes, these are at a depth of 4 feet. Also included in this first phase is the painting of the main hall, and improvements to the electrical system. As money becomes available work will continue on upgrading the Anek. Contributions of money, time, or material will be gratefully accepted.

A smile is a curve that can set a lot of things straight. Try it!

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Next Temple Meeting**Monday — September 12****7:30 P.M.***by Jimmy Williams*

Once again, with pleasure, I report the comings and goings of the finest Drum and Bugle Corps in all of Kena Temple. An easy boast since we're the only one, however, not without considerable merit. We're growing, participating and fulfilling our motto "We March so Kids Can Walk".

Speaking of marching, nine members strong we marched in Mantua, and we marched in Mantua, and we marched, and marched, up hill and down dale and ended up where we

started. We got lots of practice, which we needed for the Falls Church parade. 16 members marched in the Falls Church Memorial Day Parade. Followed by our second annual Texas Barbeque picnic at the home of our Assistant Director, Noble Buddy Royall. Our thanks go out to Buddy and Blanche for all their hard work, and for putting up with us. Thanks to the ladies for the fixings to go with the fine barbeque beef. The weather was "purrfect", the food good and the fellowship sincere and pleasant. We even seranaded Buddy's neighbors. Thanks to Noble "Tex" Vandiver and his Lady Jean, and to Noble Jack Callahan and his Lady Clovice for taking time from their busy schedule to share the afternoon with us.

OOP'S! Did it again. My apologies

to you, Noble Orvin Dokken for misspelling your first name in the last Kenagram. Won't happen again.

We all enjoyed a successful Shrine Night at Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22, the Strawberry Festival, A fine spring Ceremonial and Parade, and a good turnout at the Fairfax City Parade.

Thanks to my wife for your support past, present and hopefully the future events of the year, to the Nobles for your support and cooperation, participation and response on short notice and for hanging in there and keeping the Corps going great guns. Most especially to the Ladies for being the fine people that you are. You are very important.



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Dear Noble:

There is an old adage that states when you are having a good time; time flies. For me this year nothing could be truer as I have enjoyed myself as your Potentate and I have to look at a calendar or go outside in the summer heat to realize it is July. It only seems like yesterday that I received the honor of being elected Potentate of Kena Temple.

How can one say thanks to so many who have had a hand in making the first half of 1983 so memorable for Gladys and I. Each of you know who you are and we extend our warm and heart-felt thanks to you. May each of you forever be that spark and encouragement to all Potentates and leaders of our Masonic Fraternity.

As the song goes "June is Busting Out All Over", it certainly did in Kena for it was a busy productive and successful month.

First there were the two Shrine Nights at Blue Lodge where Brotherhood and Fellowship was in abundance. The first was at Noble and Worshipful Master Carl Sandidge's Lodge, Theodore Roosevelt Lodge No. 44, Washington, D.C. and the second at Noble and Worshipful Master Lawrence (Skip) Callahan's Lodge, Alexandria/Washington Lodge No. 22.

Then on June 11th Kena Temple held its Strawberry Festival which is becoming an annual event. Words are difficult to write that express my gratitude to Noble Robert (Tex) Vandiver and Jean and Noble Jack Callahan and Clovice, Co-chairmen and their Ladies for their time and work that made this a most successful and pleasant event. I am also indebted to all those who aided them in the Strawberry Festival.

The Chairman of the Spring Ceremonial Noble Roy L. Daisey and Membership Chairman Noble Reynold J. Matthews are to be congratulated for an outstanding Spring Ceremonial along with the Units that do all the necessary tasks for a successful ceremonial. I have had a good number of letters that praised our Spring Ceremonial and Ceremonial Ball.

If you missed the Temple Picnic on July 17th you missed a fantastic day filled with good food, fellowship, horses, the 500 Mini Cars, Motor Corps Harleys, Kena Clowns, Kena Band, Provost, more food and fun. Past Potentate Cecil Sills, Chairman and Past Potentate Harold Elsberg, Assistant Chairman with their Ladies put together and prepared a fabulous picnic. I am grateful for their work and they are to be congratulated. They could not do this alone and working in the kitchen and serving were Past Potentate George R. Weaver; Donald L. Black, Sara and Kay Lynn; William A. Beverly and Thelma; Henry A. Davis and Kay; Doc Rutkoski; Fred E. Bridgeman and Jane; Bobby L. Lawhorn and Joanne; Noble John Kidwell and Carol; Noble Fred Harnish and Dot; Also members and their Ladies from the Executive Committee; Activities Committee; Aide Corps; Motor Corps and 500. I thank all of them for their contribution to a most successful picnic.

Chief Rabban Frank A. Berry, Chairman of the Carnival will need a lot of help for the two weeks of the Carnival scheduled for August 22nd through September 3rd. Those of you who are not Unit members and would like to work contact the Office on 573-4202 and they will get you signed up. Let's have another successful carnival this year, only with your help; this can be accomplished.

Nobles, I have announced that Kena Temple's Fall Ceremonial will be named in honor of Right Worshipful and Illustrious Charles A. Sinclair, Jr., Grand Lecturer Emeritus, Grand Lodge of Virginia. I know that you have Blue Lodge Brethren that would like to be in this class. If they are not yet eligible to petition aid them in becoming York or Scottish Rite Masons. If we start now the Fall Class honoring Brother Charmie can be the largest since the beginning of the seventies. Will you have a candidate in the Fall ceremonial Class of 1983?

Gordon C. Thomson
Potentate





The Recorder's Page

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by Joseph H. Crammer

Hot weather and writing a Kena-gram article are hardly compatible, but let's give it a try. Parades in hot weather, such as the trio we took part in over the 4th weekend (Leesburg 7-1, Fairfax City 7-2 and Dale City 7-4) were truly "hot sands" type ventures. Taking in consideration the holiday weekend, we did have good turnouts; however, we do have to give special thanks to our brand new members, Alex Culbertson and Emerson Higbee for becoming instant old hands. Gale Matthews and John Buchanan, relatively new members, also gave their support. Smitty led the pack all three days, four regulars made 3 and several others made 2. Probably, no wife gave any credit to us for making any, and being out in the heat and "mid-day sun."

The high point of the weekend, was the cookout and pool party after the Fairfax City Parade with Hazel and Ruth, tolerant hostesses. No one had

to be paid to dive into the pool this time. Incidentally, "Skip" Callahan turned over \$100, finally collected, for the Masonic Home for his dive into the cold water of the pool in May. An outing at the Dale Matthews' was enjoyed the weekend following (approved by the Neighborhood Watch, I think)

At the Strawberry Festival and Flea Market (6-11), the OBs end was held up by Mary and John Downs, Betty and Clarence Kunstmann, Francis and Franklin Martin and Kathy Weinhardt. It was a colorful, nostalgic affair, with ye olde Marching Band providing ump pah pah entertainment. Good show. Good goodies.

Coming events— Combined efforts of the Klowns, the 500 and the OB should ensure a wonderful evening of dance on Aug 20th. Music by the "Unique Sensations". We promise a great occasion. Then comes the Carnival at 7 corners, which running for two weeks (8-22 to 9-3), needs all the help it can muster.

Of course, the SASA at Myrtle Beach, S.C., (9-8, 9, and 10th) and MASA, Wildwood, N.J., (9-21, 22, 23, and 24th) are in the wings and Kena is hoping to make a good showing at both. Call Clarence Kunstmann for

SASA and Tex Vandiver for MASA, for details and accommodations. With P.P. Harold Elsberg in line of SASA and Ken Brunsvold in line of SASOBA (Oriental Band Association) it is important that we make a good showing.

We are saddened by the death of one of our once most active members, Frank Pace. He designed our uniforms and Band room—he even wrote one of our (many) tunes, so now maybe the sweetest music of Heaven will become even sweeter? Please accept our condolences, Molly.



THE MASONIC YEAR

The common calendar is based on the year of the Christian era. The letters, A.D., Anno Domini, two Latin words, mean the "year of our Lord."

Ancient Craft Masonry used the letters A.L. to designate its year. These letters stand for the Latin words, "Anno Lucis," which mean "year of Light."

The craft Masonic date is arrived by adding four thousand to the current year so that the calendar year of the Christian era, A.D. 1977, becomes the Craft Masonic year, A.L. 5977.

Oriental Band - Klowns - Kena 500

Annual Fall Dance

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How Long Has It Been Since You Attended Your Blue Lodge?

Kena Retirees Club

Chick Heerlein

Before recessing for the summer, the Kena Retirees Club breakfast on June 29 showed there is continued strong interest in the club when 73 Nobles were on hand to enjoy the delicious repast prepared by the effervescent Stewards and their lovely ladies.

Vice President Daisey acknowledged the presence of Past Presidents Wells, Heerlein, Marseglia, and Mutersbaugh. He also recognized the following members of the Divan: Chief Rabban Berry; Assistant Rabban Vandiver; High Priest and Prophet Callahan; Treasurer Black, P.P.; and Recorder Graham. Also with us, in addition to Past Potentate Black were Past Potentates Doc Rutkoski and Werle of Almas Temple. And we were honored by having Past Grand Master Charles V. Brewer of the District of Columbia, as well as Assistant Rabban Kollar of Almas Temple. Our club is very fortunate to have such distinguished Nobles with us at these meetings.

Members of the Divan made several announcements with respect to current activities for the Temple. Then Noble Jim Smith asked the Nobles for assistance at the Kena Carnival which runs from August 22 through September 3. This is a very important fund raising activity for our Temple so any Retiree who can do so should let Noble Jim know what nights he will work at the carnival.

Guest speaker for this occasion was Ed Foley, Director of Training and Psychology, Department of Corrections, Commonwealth of Virginia. The Speaker talked about the Virginia penal system and mentioned that there were some 9,500 in the present prison population. He indicated that about one-third of these could be reached by counseling. After his talk Mr. Foley answered questions from the Nobles present.

It was with sincere regret that Vice President Daisey told the Nobles that our President Frank Pace's condition was no better. And Chief Rabban Berry announced that funeral services would be held for our Past President Charles Baber at 2:00 p.m. this date. (Note: Since our Retirees breakfast, our Noble President Frank Pace passed away.)

Nobles, we are very saddened to

report that we have again suffered losses in our ranks. Past President Charles Baber (1980) and our current president Frank Pace have both passed on. Kena Temple Shrine and particularly the Retirees Club has lost two very active and dedicated Nobles. May we express to the families of these two fine Nobles our most sincere condolences. The club has made donations to the Transportation Fund in their memories.

As we shut down for the summer, Nobles, it is only fitting that much credit be given to the Telephone Committee for its efforts. Our special thanks to Noble Rev Marcey and especially to his lady Janet for keeping the committee in line and getting such good results. Members of the Committee are: Tom Brown; Oscar Bumgardner; Sherman Floyd, Sr.; Ken Hanson; Chick Heerlein; Pat Katen; Coy Livingston, Rev Marcey; Bill Marseglia; J.F. Rodgers; Curtis Sloper; Willis Tanner; Charley Whitmore; and Malloreay Wooster. Two Nobles have volunteered to help in the fall: Nobles Bob Beatty and Noble Ed Burguson. Give Secy. Heerlein (941-2250) a call and he'll be glad to give you a list of phone numbers to call. We need at least TWO MORE Nobles to take the load off Janet.

Remember Nobles, our September meeting will be a breakfast and the date is Wednesday, September 28.

HAVE A GREAT, TROUBLE-FREE SUMMER!



THE HILLBILLYS
by
Jesse D. Powell, Secretary

This writer is so far behind he doesn't know where to start. We have attended parades at McLean, Burke Lake Park, Reston, Warrenton, Fairfax, Falls Church, and Dale City. We had good support at most of these and had lots of fun. We enjoyed the Hospitality of Bruce and Peg Palmer after the McLean Parade and the Hospitality of Ben and Carolyn McBride after both the Burke Parade and Fairfax Parade. Thanks so much, Your warm reception adds so much to our enjoyment. We also won a First Place Trophy in the McLean Parade.

A belated welcome to Noble George Shoemaker and his Lady Mary who joined our group in April. We are

happy to have you in the Hillbillys. We are also happy to welcome Noble's John Staley and Bob LaFayette and his Lady Margie who were initiated in our Unit at our July meeting. We hope you all will enjoy our fellowship and become active members with us.

Our Unit would like to express publicly our appreciation to Nobles Mike Abraham, Buck Kemp, Bob Shifflett, Lew Wilson, Joe Wiglarz, Dick Isaacs, Ted Davidson and others whose contributions and hard work on our vehicles have made it possible for us all to have fun vehicles for our Parades and add so much to our Unit. We salute you all.

HILLBILLYS, remember the Hillbilly Unit is sponsoring our first HILLBILLY HOEDOWN in the Anex Bldg., Sat. 17th September at \$15.00 Couple. The music will be by "FULL COUNTRY SPECTRUM". Plan to attend and bring your friends. We need your full support. Contact Nobles Bob Shifflett, 938-7837 or C. Bruce Palmer, 356-5279 for ticket information. Let's have a good turnout.

July and August are busy Birthday months, best wishes to Bill Haines, Dick Isaacs, Franne Kemp, Bob LaFayette, Bruce Palmer, Mike Seely, Emily Shihda, Judy Weaver, and Jim Woodruff, who are July Celebrants. Best wishes to Ted Davidson, Janet Evans, Jay C. Reed, Gerrie Seely, Bob Weaver, Diane Wilson, Freeda Burner, and George Shoemaker, who celebrate their Birthday in the month of August. Many happy returns of the day to you all.

Nobles Mickey Ander and his Lady Sue celebrate their Wedding Anniversary in August as do Bill Haines and his Lady Gloria. Congratulations to you all and may you celebrate many more.

We have had pretty good attendance at our Monthly meetings, but have missed some of you. Please mark the second Weds. of the month on your calendars and try to be with us to enjoy the fellowship and to support our Director Joe Wiglarz, who is working hard to advance the Hillbilly Unit. We are doing well, try to help us to do better.

Have a good and safe summer.

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RESCHEDULED Annual Pilgrimage To Philadelphia Hospital

Kena Temples Annual Pilgrimage to the Philadelphia Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children was *rescheduled* from July 24 to *Sunday, September 18* due to several cases of chicken pox at the hospital. We trust that all those who planned to go to the Hospital in July will be able to join us in September, also that a number of additional Nobles and Ladies will be able to make the trip. The buses will leave at 8:00 a.m. from the parking lot of Kena Temple. Cars may be left on the parking lot during the trip.

All new Nobles (1983 Spring Class and 1982 Fall Class) are urged to visit your Crippled Childrens Hospital—the "World's Greatest Philanthropy." There will be a brunch stop in Wilmington, Del.—*Dutch Treat*. Following the Hospital visit there will be a stop for dinner at the North East Shrine Club, Rockledge, PA. The tab will be \$8.50 per person.

Ill. Henry A. Davis, P.P.
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☐ I will attend the Hospital Pilgrimage, September 18, 1983
☐ I was a Novice 1982 Fall Class -1983 Spring Class
My Lady will attend the Hospital Pilgrimage ☐ Yes ☐ No
_____ No. of dinners at \$8.50 each.

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PLEASE RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 1, 1983



August 22 thru September 3

Kena Temple will be sponsoring our Annual Carnival, August 22 thru September 3 at Seven Corners (Montgomery Ward Lot). This is one of our major fund raising activities for 1983. We will need the *help and support of all Nobles and their Ladies* to make this a success. *Please come out to help with this activity.* The hours of operation Monday through Friday will be 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. On Saturdays we will open at 5:00 p.m. Sunday, August 28, we will open at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, September 4th we will begin cleanup of the lot at 9:00 am. Please mark these dates on your calendar and plan to join us in making the Carnival a success. *Call your Unit Head and sign up to work.* Any questions call the Chairman, Chief Rabben Frank A. Berry at 536-9793.

State of Maine Night
SEMPER PARATUS LODGE NO. 49, D.C. will recognize all Sojourning Maine Masons at its Stated Communication on 6 September 1983 at 7:30 PM. at 1212 Wisconsin Ave., D.C. (Potomac Lodge Hall).



By F. T. Lenahan

The brethren and ladies from the Motor Corps and Horse Patrol of Kena Temple are to be congratulated for the fine refreshments and hospitality before and after the Nokesville Parade on June 4th. Everyone who benefited by this enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Thank you very much from the Kena 500.

Yours truly, with "Eggs" Berardi, Hank Peterson and Ladies Kay and Sandy, had a merry ole time helping out at the Pancake Breakfast in May. Due to our, 'AHEM', professional expertise, we were invited back for a repeat performance. We took them up on their challe—er I mean their request with the same crew, this time including my daughter, Maria. If you think we enjoyed ourselves at the encore, you're right. Maria I would imagine more than most for she was a chatterbox all the way home to Rockville exhorting her pleasing experience.

At the Temple May meeting, Kena 500 was presented a Certificate of Appreciation, by the Dean of George Washington University School of Government and Business Administration for participation in GW's Fun Day '83 Celebration. For efforts on that same day in the Richmond, Va. Azalea Festival the 500 received a trophy. They will find a place in our Unit Room.

You've all heard the cliché 'you only get out, what you put in' well the 500 has been very active with parades, activities and demonstrations the past few months but 'you ain't seen nothin yet'. We finished out June at the Trade Fair in Waldorf, Md., the 25th and 26th. We opened July with Leesburg, Va. 7/1 and Fairfax, Va. 7/2. We have also started practices every Wed. evening from 6/22 until the 'Boss Man' says we are ready to compete at SASA in Myrtle Beach. "PHEW" See you all next month.—

It's a woman's privilege to change his mind.

LEGION OF HONOR



by Nelson (Bob) Bullock

Since there was not a meeting in July, many things have cropped up for this article, as you will see when reading it. So here we go!

Item #1—The "Carnival" at Seven Corners—beginning 22 August thru September 3rd. The Legion has been requested to furnish no less than four (4) volunteers; six (6) are preferred, of Legion Nobles and their Ladies (if they wish to come) each night and each of two shifts on the weekends. Call Bill Williams (573-6644) and provide him the day(s) or shift(s) that you can help. Weekday times are 6 to closing and weekend shifts are 12-6 and 6 to closing. Legionnaire Jim Smith is co-chairman and Chief Rabban Frank Berry is chairman.

Item #2—"Octoberfest" to be held 8 October at the Temple. Legionnaires Roy Daisey and Bob Siroka are co-chairmen and will be making requests for your assistance in obtaining supplies and food stuffs, chef experience, waiters/waitresses, bus boys and general help of all kinds. Mark your calendar for that date; more information will be forthcoming.

Item #3—Commander Miller wishes to specifically thank the 17 members who attended the Leesburg parade and suffered thru those huge rain drops. He also wishes to specifically thank the 31 LOH members and Legion Noble Charlie Boldin who attended the Fairfax parade on 2 July. They really looked sharp and received more than the usual scattering of applause, especially from our Ladies that were in attendance. Commander Miller and Lady Mary also knew what would hit the spot after a "hot" parade—like a tall cold one and with accompanying snacks. Commander Miller even took 7-11's last bag of ice just so that stuff would be cold.

Item #4—Remember the upcoming September meeting wherein the By Laws revisions will be discussed and then voted on in the October meeting. Copies of the revisions will be available in September.

Item #5—The Assistant Rabban "Tex" Vandiver (Past Commander), Past Commander Walt Niblett, 1st Lt. Commander Jim Smith and their Ladies visited Charlie Boldin, our

oldest Legionnaire, at the Fairfax Nursing Center on his 91st birthday on June 29, 1983. A birthday cake, cards and presents were presented to Charlie. He was well pleased.

Item #6—Did you know that 81 Legion members have earned a total of 37,300 points towards the SAMSAR Jewel awards? The points range between 6,750 by "Smiley" Tex Vandiver to 50 by several members. Two have 2,000 or more—namely 1st Lt Cmdr Jim Smith and PC Walter Niblett. Six have over 1,000—Roy Daisey, John Denton, PC Art Frawley, James Hudson, Dalas Palmer and Art Reyes. The other 73 range from 50 to 1,000 and are too numerous to mention. Congratulations to all.

Item #7—One of our members, namely Bill Schneider, will speak on N.Y. vs. VA. Masonry on September 19 at Elmer Timberman Lodge #54.

Item #8—Noble Bill MacBrayne and Lady Terri are scheduled to go to Germany on August 8 for a vacation. Bon Voyage, Bill and Terri. Send us a card.

SICK AND INJURED:

Marvin Hillsman's Lady Rebecca is out of the hospital after hip surgery and is coming along okay.

Legionnaire Roger Ruger passed away on or about 6 July. Condolences to his family; he is in God's hands.

Lady Ann Walker, wife of Marvin Walker is progressing from hip surgery.

Lady Anne Munske has been ailing but feeling better.

Vince Blasco is still ailing but active as much as he can be.

Just got word that Bob Siroka's parents are quite ill but don't know the details. He is visiting them as of this writing.

Les Long was in the hospital for a few days in July to check out some problems. He is okay now and things are under control.



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SASA MYRTLE BEACH, S.C. 8-9-10 SEPTEMBER 1983

The South Atlantic Shrine Association convention to be held in Myrtle Beach, SC on September 8, 9, and 10th, 1983, is going to be bigger and better than ever. In addition to the golf and fishing tournaments, all registered Nobles and their Ladies will receive the Program-Directory. This will be a 44-page booklet containing a History of SASA, names of SASA Officers, Temple Divans, location of Temple housing, etc., and, of course, the program for the activities.

There will also be the always fantastic Ladies Luncheon and the most prestigious President's Banquet. Both affairs will be at the Landmark Hotel and each will be limited to 500 people. *Absolutely no more than 500 tickets will be sold.* This is being done to provide the most convenient seating arrangements possible and so you can readily enjoy the new entertainment. The price of the Ladies Luncheon will be \$10, and the President's Banquet will remain at \$35 per couple, \$20 per single.

The Shrine Market place will be in Exhibit Room "A" at the Landmark Hotel. This is larger quarters than before and will allow more vendors providing a greater selection of merchandise.

Hold on to your FEZ!! There will be FREE bus service from the various headquarters hotels to the Outlet Park-Waccamaw Pottery Complex. The busses will operate all day on Thursday and Friday, September 8th and 9th respectively. (A registration Badge is the price of the fare.)

For the aspiring Ginger Rogers-Fred Astaire among us, we are adding another dance on Thursday, September 8th. This will be held at the *brand new* Elks Lodge located one block north and west of Myrtle Square Mall on 27th Street North and Oak Street. This will make it more convenient for all, by providing dances on both ends of the beach (MLC Shrine Club-North and Elks Lodge-South). Of course, we will have three locations on Friday and Saturday nights (MLC Shrine Club, Convention Center, and the Landmark Hotel).

The business meeting of SASA will be at 1 PM on Thursday, September 8th. All Nobles are welcome. Competition of the Units will be all day Friday, and the Parade will start at 9:30 AM Saturday, September 10th at 6th Avenue South. The reviewing stand will be between 10th and 11th Streets North.

Look forward to being with you all at our Tenth Annual South Atlantic Shrine Association Convention in September.

Russ Werle, P.P.

SASA CONVENTION - Sept. 8, 9, 10, 1983

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Although the square dance club does not meet in July and August, the square dance class continues throughout the summer, preparing for graduation in September when students will be invited to join Kena Squares that resumes dancing September 16th.

Members are urged to keep up their dancing during the summer at the Madison Recreation center, Fairfax High School, Fairlington Methodist Church, and the Weber barn. Phone our president, Fred Tonsing, 573-7563, for exact time and dates.

At the Kena Strawberry Festival Kena Squares operated a vegetable stand and salad bar which netted a profit of \$163.76.

Several of our members celebrated birthdays recently. In May were Dottie Bateman, Louise Cool, and Dave Lane. June birthdays included Dennis Weber, Jim McDonough, and Leroy Dorrough. July is the big month for Brenda Weber, Don Weber, Bob Bateman, Joe Groulx, Mae Waller, and Mabel Dorrough. August honorees are Ruth Tonsing and Bob Cool.

Many are celebrating wedding anniversaries. Bob and Louise Cool held theirs May 20. On June 2, Jim and Willie Smith recalled the happy event. Those with anniversaries in July are Leroy and Mabel Dorrough on the 4th and Fred and Phyllis West on the 10th. In August Bob and Janet Guthrie celebrate on the 18th and Don and Dola Weber on the 23rd. Congratulations to all!

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Clancy Kihn

In the good ole' summer time! This doesn't keep our Klowns from putting on their make-up and costumes for a few smiles! On July 2, we, along with other Units, participated in a rather h-o-t parade in Fairfax celebrating the 4th of July. Then again, on the 4th of July, we appeared in the Dale City parade. Thanks to the Prince William Shrine Club, we cooled off a little after the parade with camels milk and snacks. Its alot to ask these fellows to give up their holiday weekends and they sure deserve a vote of thanks!

The Strawberry Festival was a great success and can only attain such with the help of members of the Units and their ladies. Babe and I really appreciate your help. We just about sold out of books!

It was sure nice to see Orrey and Margaret Granger at the Ceremonial Dance. Wish they could join us more often.

SPECIAL ATTENTION: Don't forget the dance on August 20th sponsored by the Oriental Band, Kena Klowns and Kena 500. Help your Unit by selling tickets—\$10.00 a person which includes Set-Ups, Pretzels and Chips. Lets try and make this a success.

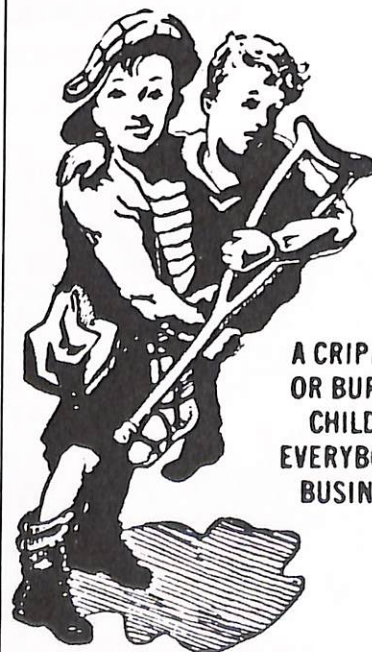
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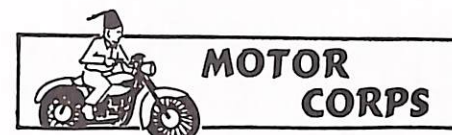
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By: Tut Windsor, Director

During June and July, we have been v-e-e-ry busy. The Nokesville Parade June 4th started with coffee and donuts at the home of Noble Frank Tolson, and after the parade refreshments at the home of Noble Carlos Keaton. The Motor Corps enjoyed the hospitality and extends its appreciation. June 11th we participated in the Strawberry Festival as well as a Motor Corps outing. Ten couples on motors left Front Royal on Saturday morning. Destination: Peaks of Otter Lodge, by way of Shenandoah National Park and Blue Ridge Parkway. An hour after arrival at the Lodge, Kena was joined by over 20 of the Kazim Temple Motor Corps people. The Saturday evening and Sunday morning meals at the Lodge were outstanding. We had to be content, however, just hearing about an unusual Saturday TV program, since the rooms had no TV. Sunday morning a bus ride up the side of the mountain, to the Peaks was just what the doctor ordered for the cyclists, that is, until the final stretch to the top was 1,500 feet more to go on foot. The ride to Peaks of Otter also provided Noble Virgil Powell and his Lady Ginny a visit with Virgil's son and family, and Noble R.B. Nance and his Lady Della (along with the rest of the group) a visit with R.B.'s parents.

A big thank you to Noble Frank Taylor for arranging the trip—it was a job well done. And thanks to Lady Nancy Finn for her Roving Reporting. Say, Nancy, would you like to write for the KENAGRAM?

The M.C. was proud to display their Unit for the Spring Ceremonial. All those in attendance at the Spring Ceremonial Dance thoroughly enjoyed it.

We started off July in a whirlwind. July 1st, 13 members participated in the Leesburg Parade, in the rain. Afterward we shared with Noble Bob Tully and Lady Dee a most happy occasion. Noble Bob's son, Jim, invited the Motor Corps to his wedding and reception. Again, our best wishes for much happiness go to Jim and Michelle Tully, as well as our appreciation for having us with you. On July 2nd, 21 members participated in the Fairfax Parade. Afterward we were

the guests of Noble Virgil and Lady Ginny. The Powell's hospitality was surpassed only by Virgil's chili dogs. It's a known fact that Virgil is the World's Best Chili Dog Chef! Nobles Don Landrum and Bill Jiron took advantage of the gathering by giving a great display of "Gold Side Up". July 4th found us at Clinton, Maryland for the town's annual parade, 17 motors strong. Noble Ozzie Lockard and Lady Jean provided outstanding hospitality after the parade, not only to the Motor Corps but to many other guests from the area. A great time was had by all.

Our Drill Team is practicing each Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Fair Oaks Shopping Center. All our practice is to make ready for SASA at Myrtle Beach, where the Motor Corps will be housed at Paradise Inn (Sept. 8, 9 and 10) and MASA, Sept. 21 through 24, at Wildwood, NJ., and we will be at the Harbor Lights. Are there palm trees as far north as New Jersey?

We're pleased to report that Lady Marilyn Landrum is recovering from her recent surgery, and that Honorary Member Bruce Morris, P.P., is also recovering, at home now, from his surgery.

I wouldn't ordinarily extend congratulations to a member of my own family, however, since I see him as a potential Kena Shriner and member of the Motor Corps (and also since I am very proud of him), I believe this might be in order. Congratulations, then, to Douglas Windsor on receiving the Degree of Chevalier from the Order of DeMolay.

August 22nd through September 3rd will find the Motor Corps at the Carnival at Seven Corners. No, we won't be in center ring, but we'll help out wherever we're needed. Let's all support this project.

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Aide Corps

by Bill Lawlor

Thank you one and all. Our Act II Boutique Table at the Strawberry Festival was a virtual bee-hive all day long and it was not only fun, but I'm proud to say, profitable. My sincere thanks and appreciation to each of you for your donations of saleable items. Because of nice people like you, it was all possible. For the tireless efforts of setting up and selling, a very special thanks to Ladies Karen Bostick, Diane Carlin, Celeste Coakley, Nete Daisey, Jo Elsberg, Mary K. Frank, Millie Poletis, Ellie Wilcox, Bobbie Wingo and my Lady Bobbie Jo. Would you believe, things got so busy that the gals drafted Carlton Coakley as their official "bonded" cashier and money runner. You do good work Carlton—ever think of doing this full time? Then, did you happen to catch the free entertainment that was provided by Greg Poletis and Tex Vandiver. They had everyone in stitches with their "professional?" modeling. Are you sure you two don't belong in the Klowns? Nothing could make me happier than to top our Strawberry Festival sales at the Country Store on November 12. *We can do it but only with your help.* So, start now and save . . . please.

A tip of the Fez to Illustrious Gordon C. Thomson, Lady Gladys and their special committees for an outstanding and rewarding Spring Ceremonial. Sixty-five new Nobles is indeed a feather in your Fez, Illustrious. My appreciation to the blue coats and their Ladies for their assistance in making this a successful Ceremonial: Tom Arntsen, Bob Connor, Stan Frank, Hank Huhn, Rex Phares, Greg Poletis, Bill Shipman, Ray Spiller and Ed Wingo. A special thanks to P.P. Bill Beverly for his aide and to "Doctor's" Wayne Morefield and Bob Perry for their expert dental repair work.

Remember our good friends Syd and Eula Rogers? They're the ones who defected to Largo, Florida. They're all set up in their lovely new condo and enjoying Florida as well as their grandchildren Tiffany and Sean who are visiting from Denver. They send their love and ask to be remembered to all in Kena land.

On the ailing list is P.P. Bruce Morris. We miss you Illustrious and look forward to seeing your smiling face soon. We're pleased to hear that Joe Sims is back to work following his recent hospitalization. On a sad note, we regretted to hear of the death of Joe Dillon's mother, and of Phil and Henry Rich's Mother and of Tommy Arntsen's sister. The Unit extends deepest sympathy to you nice people and to your families.

Noble Fred Weinhardt and Lady Kathy have become full fledged members of the Blue Coats. It's nice to have such a handsome, energetic couple in our midst and to you both, welcome aboard.

The Aide Corps dance was a great success. The momentum of the Nobles and Ladies coupled with Jack Corry's music resulted in an enjoyable fun filled evening for all. In fact, the evening ended too soon. There are just too many Nobles and Ladies that contributed to the success of this affair to express our thanks and appreciation here. Suffice to say, the entire crew worked till dawn cleaning up the ballroom and then returned Sunday to assist the Past Potentates and their Ladies prepare for the annual Temple Picnic. Another Fantastic Temple event. I would be remiss in my duties, however, if I did not recognize the dance chairman Greg Poletis and his Lady Millie and his assistants Noble Ed Wingo and his Lady Bobbie who worked so hard to make the dance a success. Thanks for a job well done.

Kena's annual carnival is scheduled for August 22 through September 3. The carnival hours are: Monday through Friday 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., Saturday Sunday—1st shift is from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., the second shift is from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Helpers are needed, especially on Saturdays and Sundays. Call me giving, if possible, a specific date/shift you and your Lady can help. (451-1209)

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KENA GOLF CLUB

By Bob Wefel

Summertime is here—the centerpiece of our Kena Golf Club season is approaching—and many of our members have scattered to the four winds, and are enjoying vacations or other innocuous pursuits. The golf courses are losing the incessant spring growth that we are experiencing this year, and our shots are going longer, and the putts are rolling truer (we hope).

Our Chantilly Country Club tournament was held on June 8th. Forty seven of our members and guests attended the golf portion of our outing—and thirty five stayed for dinner and our meeting, during which prizes were awarded to those whose play was excellent.

Winners of the nearest to the pin awards were Dave Turner, and Past Presidents Charley Clark and Bill Lawlor. The low gross score was made to Bill Grover (as usual). The winner of the Bill Parks Trophy was Dick Sapp, following a score card playoff with Ed Shinn. The battle was between two members of the Arab Patrol.

We thank Illustrious Past Potentates Henry A. Davis and Bobby Lawhorn for joining us in our activities. We appreciate your assistance and friendship.

Our long-awaited return to the Quantico Marine Corps Base for golf and dinner was on June 29th. The course was in its usual excellent condition, and the dinner at the Officers Club was outstanding. We were honored by the presence of Illustrious Past Potentates Austin Edison and Bobby Lawhorn. Low gross score winner, low net score and trophy winner was Joe Simms (79). Congratulations, Joe for your fine performance.

Forty six of our members and guests tackled the course and 37 stayed for the dinner meeting. Almas Temple's (and Kena Golf Club member) Bill Wohlfarth as second low gross winner with a score of 81.

Review of coming events:

Friday, August 19th

Shenandoah Country Club

Bring your lady

Wednesday, September 7th

3rd Annual SASA Golf

Tournament



By John Chesebro, Historian

The Arab Patrol extends fraternal greetings to all of the new Nobles joining Kena Temple in the Spring Class. We hope that you will enjoy meeting us as much as we look ahead to shaking your hand. There are many units in Kena Temple. Each feels that same cordiality toward you. Visit as many of them as you will and then be sure to join one of them because it is always great to enjoy good fellowship among the Brethren but sad to be a mere bystander with no buddies.

The Arab Patrol gives its full support to the Shrinedom primary program for helping crippled children. The Patrol pitches in on the Kena Temple activities doing its share to make them successful: the social events, the community parades, and the regional drill competitions. The Patrol drills every Wednesday evening on the Mosque's parking lot at 7:30. You are invited to come and watch or to practice drilling with us. Call John Chesebro, 256-2280, for more information.

For you Patrolmen, help these new Nobles to come and be with us. While you are doing that you might also be on the lookout for Nobles of previous classes who never have joined a unit. You'll be of great help to all of us if you will bring one out to drill even though you will not be going to the Fall Competition at Wildwood. That competition looks like the main one for us in September, and although we have a good turnout for drill practice, the Drillmaster, John Yeager says he could use a little more help. So come on out, all Patrolman, and bring a Prospective Patrolman with you!

Remember, all drillers, that your uniform must stand a rigid inspection at the competition, and you must prepare for that during August. Get it cleaned and pressed but don't have any creases in the arms or pants. Take off all of the dodads on the Fez. Get those gloves and shoes as white as snow and that includes the shoelaces and the spaces under them. And remember to get a neat haircut.

Lots of romance these two months. The Huegeles, 4 years on Aug. 5; the Strykes 54 glorious years on Aug. 17; the Larsens close after with 53 years on Aug. 9; The Nageles, 35 years on Aug. 21; the Yeagers, 31 years on Aug. 30; the Doritys, 43 years on Aug. 31; and the Johnsons, 35 years on Sept. 16.

Andy Lyrean is working on the Fez Stamp Program raising funds to refurbish the ANEK Building, and he'll do a great job for the Temple. The Trowbridges will be reporting to us soon on their long trip to the Western States. Our Secretary Milt was back in the hospital. We all hope you'll be back in good shape, Milt, when this reaches you in the mail. And that goes for all who are ill in Kena Temple. Get well soon.



Winchester Shrine Club News

by Jim Davis

The June meeting of the Winchester Shrine Club was held at the Holiday Inn East on the 16th. Apparently threat of rain and vacations kept the attendance down. The invocation was given by Noble Clay Carr. It was followed by the pledge of allegiance.

The Past Presidents of the Winchester and Blue Ridge Shrine Clubs were asked to stand and take a bow. Noble John Stainbeck, the President of the Blue Ridge Shrine Club was introduced.

Noble Elliott Button, Secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting. The guests were Frank Pagusa, brother in law of Noble Button and Leonard Matthews, the father of Oriental Guide Dick Matthews.

A resolution on the death of Past President Rufus Smith was prepared and read by Secretary Button. A copy of the resolution will be given to Mrs. Rufus Smith.

President Julius Buncutter announced that the Officers and Directors recommended Robert Feagans to take Noble Smith's place as Trustee. It was unanimously approved by the vote of membership.

Noble Elliott Button reported on the status of the sponsored crippled children. The Alamany children have been back to the crippled children's Hospital in Philadelphia about 3 times. The girl had an operation on her hand. Infection developed and the Hospital gave her antibiotics. The boy had his hand redressed. The Pitzer child will go for surgery sometime soon. The Sturgill boy was given a new pair of shoes last week. Money has been received in the name of Noble Rufus Smith for the Crippled Children's Hospital. The Club contributed \$25.

President Buncutter announced that a joint picnic with Blue Ridge will be held on August 10th. It will be catered by a man from Woodstock. The location is the White Post Restoration. The cost is \$5.50 per person. The time is 6 p.m. Nobles are asked to wear the fez.

The next Ladies Night will be held on October 19th at Lee Jackson. This will be a joint affair with Blue Ridge Shrine Club.

Noble Maurice Blosser introduced Noble Clay Carr as speaker. Noble Carr spoke on the four homes known as the American way of life. They are: (1) parents home with the development of the child, (2) our home with contributing interests such as Masonry, (3) spiritual home with the Masonic fraternity contributing the most and (4) the eternal home with accent on the spiritual approach to the world of God.

Noble Tom Garbett, President of the Valley Scottish Rite Club spoke about the youth in the area and urged more support.

Reynold "Dick" Matthews, Oriental Guide, presented Noble Clay Carr a samsar for his past work for membership's for the Shrine. In addition Noble Matthews presented the Winchester Club with a check for \$1,045.76 from Kena Temple to be placed in the crippled children's transportation account. He also announced some coming events of Kena Temple.

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MEMBERSHIP

By R.J. "Dick" Matthews,
Oriental Guide

Nobles, the summer months are a time to enjoy, to relax, and to rejuvenate. But, they are not a time to overlook our Fall Ceremonial which is only a few short months away.

As you go to Lodge picnics and other gatherings, make sure that you have a KENA petition in your pocket. You really just never know when it can come in handy. Believe it or not, I was asked for a petition for both the Scottish Rite and KENA at the Imperial Session in Denver, and guess what? You're right. I didn't have one in my pocket. But, you can bet your sweet (life) that I beat it back to the hotel room and my brief case and got it.

Many things happened at the Imperial Session that just re-emphasized the need for our continued perseverance in gaining new members for the Shrine. Nobles, we just don't have room for time and patience in membership, just perseverance. Last year (1982), the Shrine lost 12,059 members. The reasons were simple. We did not replace our members who died, demitted or were suspended.

The Imperial Potentate intends to really engage in a campaign to hold down the suspensions, particularly for non-payment of dues. Which reminds me. Have you paid your dues yet? I think many of you remember last year when I told you that we have no problems in KENA that 200 additional members each year would not solve. We sigh and daydream about how AL MALEIKA Temple of Los Angeles can send 600-700 nobles to an Imperial Convention. This is also simple. They have 28,000 members.

Have you ever asked yourself, why you became a Shriner? If not, do it. Just sit down for a few minutes with a pencil in hand and jot down whatever comes to your mind on the question of "Why I became a Shriner?" Now, you're a pretty bright sort of guy. If you thought those were good reasons to become a Shriner, don't you think some of your non-Shriner friends would think so too? Now some of you are going to tell me that all of your friends are Shriners. Really? Then, my brother, you need to get out and visit your lodge and other lodges, the Scottish Rite, your Royal Arch Chapter

and Commandery. Make some new friends and then tell them why being a Shriner is among the greatest things you have ever done, except for the wonderful bride that you were lucky enough to get.

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By Ashby W. Barbee

The Strawberry Festival was a "best ever" for Kena and our thanks to Ladies Griffing, Hepburn, Martin, Moore, Phillips, Plaugher and Pollack for their efforts.

The Brotherhood and Fellowship Ball on 25 June was well attended by Greeters and their guests with the highlight of the evening a reception in the Greeters room hosted by Ladies Martin and Rhodes, assisted by Ladies Phillips and Barbee. Just under 100 people attended.

Our sympathy is extended to Lady Margaret over the loss of her husband, Noble Oral Jensen after a long illness. He was buried in Arlington Cemetery 5 July with full military honors. His was the 10,000th funeral attended by the Arlington Ladies, who represented the Air Force Chief of Staff.

Recently I was pleasantly surprised by a call from Past Director Dennis Stump from Aurora, Col. He and Lady Rose are doing fine and he has served as master of his lodge three years. Noble Ferrell Bozarth had recently spent a day with him while visiting a son in Denver and a sister in Canon City. After spending a week on Grand Lake, Noble Bozarth visited a daughter in Kalamazoo on his return to complete a 25 day trip.

Lady Virginia Casey returned 12 July from a six week trip to Alaska via Interpassage, Vancouver to Anchorage, and returned via Montana and Denver.

Noble Paul Wells and Lady Louise returned 10 July from Charleston, WV where he attended the National Convention of Amateur Radio County Hunters Network.

Noble Ralph Lutz and his lady, Theresa, of Port Charlotte, Florida attended the graduation of their granddaughter, Kimberly Leigh Plummer, at East Kentucky University, Richmond, Kentucky, 14 May 1983. Since then they have been at their home, Fairview Manor, near Warrenton. On 9 July Kimberly and Michael W. Ulrich were married at an outdoor setting at Fairview Manor. They will make their home in Richmond, Ky. Noble Lutz and Lady Theresa will re-

turn to their Florida residence on 15 July.

Noble Darrell Dawson has recovered from surgery at Fairfax Hospital and is presently under treatment for bursitis. He thanks all for the cards, calls and many kindnesses during his illness.

Noble Ike Shipplett is suffering from spells of dizziness and has had a couple of falls none serious. Lady Martha is recovering from two heart attacks and is grounded, no driving and little exercise.

Noble Karl T. Davey, P.M. Macon Ware Lodge #192 and P.D.D.G.M. was called to the celestial lodge on July 17th. Our condolences and prayers go to Lady Ethel and family.



Years from today when the 1982-83 Imperial Year is viewed in retrospect, it will most likely be characterized as a year of unprecedented activity. From the over 100,000 miles traveled in visitations by our Imperial Potentate, Dr. Daniel E. Bowers, to the ever increasing number of Shrine Temples that undertook expansion or renovation programs this past year, the Shrine moved aggressively forward.

As the Shrine's four newest Temples, Azan, Sahib, Barak and Mazol, prospered and enjoyed their first full year of Shrinedom, three of the oldest Temples, Aleppo, Medinah, and Islam celebrated their 100th anniversaries.

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE
POTENTATE CALENDAR

By
John W. Kidwell, Personal Aide

Believe it or not the summer heat has not slowed down the activities of the Potentate and his Lady. The first weekend, 3-5 June, resulted in the Illustrious Gordon C. Thomson participating in the Warrenton Parade while his Lady Gladys cheered from the sidelines. Following the parade they departed for Richmond, Virginia to be guests of the Potentate of Acca Temple during their Spring Ceremonial. Other activities during the month of June that required the attendance of the Illustrious and his Lady included the following:

8 June—set up night for the Kena Temple Strawberry Festival.

10-11 June—Kena Strawberry Festival. This was one of the most successful ones yet.

12 June—Unit Head Breakfast at Kena Temple.

15 June—set up of the ball-room for the Kena Spring Ceremonial.

17-19 June—the Potentate and his Lady hosted the following distinguished guests from the Virginia and Washington, D.C. Shrine Temples, Past Imperial Potentates and Officers of the Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22 who attended the Spring Ceremonial.

KAZIM TEMPLE, ROANOKE, VA.

Past Potentate Jack Clements and his Lady Maude. High Priest and Prophet Al Tignor and his Lady Mary. Illustrious Potentate Gordon Ruble and his Lady Bea.

ACCA TEMPLE, RICHMOND, VA.

Dr. William D. Brown and his Lady Nett. Past Potentate Aubrey Stratton and his Lady Margaret. Oriental Guide Eugene Carpenter and his Lady Grace. Chief Rabban Kenneth Almond and his Lady Sarah. Mrs. Charlotte Simmons, Wife of Assistant Rabban Acca Temple. Mrs. Margaret McNutt, Wife of Potentate of Acca Temple. Past Potentate Douglas Delano and his Lady Dora.

ALMAS TEMPLE,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Illustrious Potentate Ledley Wallace and his Lady Thelma.

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Secretary Godfrey Runaldue and his Lady Frances. Worshipful Master Lawrence Callahan and his Lady Kathy.

Members of the Aide Corps, under the direction of Noble Bill Lawlor, performed in their professional manner in attending to the needs of the guests and bar in the Hospitality Room. The Hospitality Room food, prepared by Stewards John and Lillian Albertson, Mike and Gilda Lustgarten and Ed and Ruth Cheek, was most delicious. The Hospitality Room decorations arranged by Carol Kidwell were beautiful. The Activities Committee under the direction of Noble Bob Perry did another outstanding job in decorating the temple for the Ceremonial.

23 June—set up the ball-room for the Brotherhood and Fellowship Dance.

25 June—attended the Brotherhood and Fellowship Dance.

In addition to the activities listed above, the Potentate, members of the Divan and Kena Nobility attended the joint Kena/Almas Shrine Night hosted by Worshipful Master Carl L. Sandidge, Theodore Roosevelt Lodge No. 44, on 1 June. I believe this is the first time two Potentates have participated in a Blue Lodge sponsored Shrine Night.

On 9 June the Potentate, members of the Divan and Kena Nobility participated in the Shrine Night festivities hosted by Worshipful Master Lawrence Callahan, Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22.


2-8 July—the Potentate and members of the Divan participated in the Imperial Shrine Convention held in Denver, Colorado.

16 July—the Potentate and his Lady attended the Aide Corps Dance "Honoring the Nobles Ladies".

17 July—the Potentate and his Lady hosted the annual Kena Temple Family Picnic.

Coming events scheduled by the Potentate that need your participation include the Carnival, Seven Corners, Montgomery Ward parking lot, 22 August thru 3 September. SASA Convention 8-10 September at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina and MASAS Convention 21-24 September at Wildwood, New Jersey.

THE ROYAL
PIPES
AND
DRUMS
By
Fred Marshe



We would like to welcome two new members to the band—Noble Dave Matthews and his Lady Barbara and Noble Howard Ziegler and his Lady Shirley. Dave is a long-time member of Kena Temple; Howard was initiated at the Spring Ceremonial. Speaking of new members, we would like to invite any of the new Nobles (or old ones to drop by one of our practice sessions on Wednesday nights at the Anek Building. Check us out—you might like to join us. Nearly all of us started playing the drums or pipes with little or no musical background. (No rude comments, please.) There's a lot of work and time involved, but if you enjoy a challenge and want to become part of a very unique unit, here's your chance.

Talk about opposites—how about the weather at the Fairfax Parade compared to St. Patrick's Day? Just a little warm that day, but we had a good turnout and enjoyed strutting our stuff. The beer afterward was the best I've ever tasted. (Well, one of the best.) The day was topped off in a royal fashion at Noble Hadley's home where he and Dot served delicious bar-b-cued chicken, hamburgers and all the trimmings. To those of you who couldn't be there, you missed a treat. Thanks, Harry and Dot. We also had a great time welcoming the new Nobles and their Ladies at the Spring Ceremonial.

We're glad to hear that Noble Harold Russel, who left us several months ago, is trying to get transferred back to the area. We've missed him and hope his efforts are successful.

After 27 years in the Navy, I'm "retiring" on August 31st. Bonnie and I are moving from Silver Spring to Annandale to get a little closer to Kena and the activities of the band. I hear we need passports to move into Virginia.

May your bag stay inflated and your reeds never go flat. Good piping!

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Ritualistic
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by John Chesebro, Director

The Nobles of the Ritualistic Divan want to extend their fellowship greetings to the new Nobles of the Kena Temple Spring Class honoring the 200th year of Alexandria-Washington Lodge #22. We invite each of you to come and become a member of the Ritualistic Divan even though you may already be a member of another Temple unit. You will find that your present unit will not object, and you may be as active in both as you wish. Phone me at 256-2280 for more details.

Thanks go to all who helped make the Spring Ceremonial the great success it was: the Divan, the Kena Temple units, the Nobles who made up the audience, and the cast and supporting members of the Ritualistic Divan. It takes many hands doing many difficult tasks to make a ceremonial as successful as this one, a truly fitting tribute to the Alexandria-Washington Lodge #22. Our best wishes to them also. Many thanks to Nobles Mort Levy, Chuck Calvert, and Charlie Munsie for preparations of the robes. Thanks to the cast of Dick Brainard—Father of the Seven Sons; Harry Shaffer-Inspired Charge; Dr. Chalom Albert—Voice of the Fez and to Les Blaylock as interpreter of the Voice of the Fez and Asst. Director; Potentate Cullen Jones; Chief Rabban Mallory Wooster; Asst. Rabban Gerald Schrader; High Priest and Prophet Arthur Wise, Sr.; Oriental Guide Bert McLean; First Ceremonial Master Bob Augustad; Second Cer. Master Harry Fadley; Lavar Bearer Jim Clayton; Fez Bearer J. Compton Brooke; Alchemists George Herring and Larry Gates; Orator and Scholar George Downard; and our good Prompter Kelly McCracken. Thanks to all.

The Ritualistic Divan will have a planning meeting in August to discuss details for the Fall Ceremonial in November. Date: Monday 15 August; time: 7:30 p.m.; place: Mosque foyer (come in the front door); who: all members of the Ritualistic Divan and any Nobles who are interested in taking part.

Any person who is always feeling sorry for himself should be.



by Bob Fisher

The June Stable meeting was a time of reflection because of the poor turnout by the Herd at recent parades in Warrenton and Falls Church. Chief Ed and Lady Helen provided the impetus to get the Herd out in numbers for the Independence Day Parade in Fairfax. All it took was refreshments and a generous serving of camel's milk for all at Kena Temple after the parade.

At the time of this writing, the Herd is looking forward to two outdoor events: on 31 July a potluck picnic at Cleve and Delores Ramey's home in Marshall, Virginia; and on 13 August a pool party at Willie and Rita Gravitte's home.

A Carnival is planned for 22 August through 3 September—rain will not be permitted—and the Chief has asked that each Herder schedule some of his time in support of this activity.

The date for SASA is fast approaching and registration fees go to the Chief.

Our sympathies are extended to Noble Tom Davis and his family on the passing of his mother in New Mexico on 30 June; and to Past Chief Fred Tutt on the death of his Lady Dot on 13 June after a long illness. Noble Fred and Lady Dot celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary a few years ago.

Our Unit was also saddened by the sudden death of our Brother, Noble Edward Boback, 29 June. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Lady Eileen and her sons, Edward and Mark. Noble Ed will be greatly missed by us all.

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By William D. Smith, Director

The Spring Ceremonial was a successful one, the Staff did a good job in initiating 62 Novices into the Mystic Shrine. My thanks to each and every member who participated. We congratulate the new Nobles and thank them for their cooperation. At the Ceremonial Ball "Chicken Man" Kevin Lowry presented Illustrious Gordon Thomson a check for \$1,036 that he and the Chicken had collected. Noble Lowry did a fantastic job and I know that the new "Chicken Man" Noble Bill Jones has a hard act to follow. Our Hospitals benefit from this activity, so keep stuffing that Chicken. Again the Staff and all of Kena Temple congratulate Noble Lowry on a job well done.

The Crab Feast is upon us and all Staff members will be needed to work on August 6. Our advance sale indicates a sell out. You will be needed for setting up, serving, and clean up. Be prepared, this is our only fund raising activity and your help is needed. Also in August is the Carnival held at 7 Corners from August 22 through September 3. Your help is needed for this Temple function. August 13 the Horse Patrol has a BBQ at Clifton, contact me for tickets. August 20 the Oriental Band, Klowns and the Kena 500 are sponsoring a "Fall Dance?". Plan to participate and support these Unit functions. Speaking of summer activities a delightful Ladies dance was held on July 16 by the Aide Corp., and on July 17 the Temple picnic was held at the Mosque due to the heat. Food, drink, and fellowship were plentiful. Congrats Past Potentates.

Noble Jim Zabawa is at home recuperating from an operation, and at this writing Noble Clark Whitmer is in Alexandria Hospital recovering from an operation. We miss these two fine Nobles and wish them both a speedy recovery and hope to see them soon at our activities.

September is Convention month and the Staff will be represented both at SASA and MASA. We will participate in the parades at each convention. We still have work to do on our rolling stock. Bill Trost, Ken Schaeffer, and Casey Jones have spent many hours on the Memorial and have done an excellent restoration job.



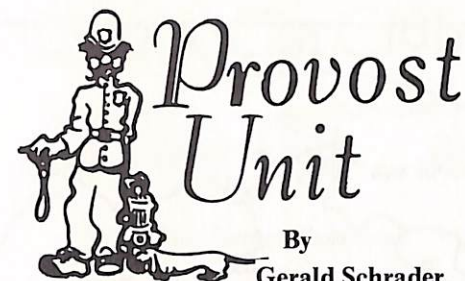
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By
Gerald Schrader

All of us are deeply saddened by the passing of our good friend and Past Provost Marshal, Charles Baber. Our condolences and support go to Lady Shirley. Noble Baber did an outstanding job as my Treasurer/Secretary during my presiding as Colonel of the M.A.S.A.P.G. Noble Baber was a very dedicated and active Provost. He had been serving as a line officer in both the M.A.S.A.P.G. and S.A.S.A.P. in addition to acting as chief coordinator for manning the dog shows and arranging rooming for the Provosts during the S.A.S.A. Convention. We will really miss his friendship and leadership.

The Unit is now faced with the task of recommending Provosts to fill Noble Baber's roles in the S.A.S.A.P. and M.A.S.A.P.G. lines. These Provosts will represent us at the S.A.S.A. convention which will be held September 8th through the 10th at Myrtle Beach, S.C. and the M.A.S.A. convention, September 21st through the 24th at Wildwood, N.J.

There were 21 Provosts who turned out for the 2nd of July parade in Fairfax. Congratulations! Immediately after the parade, Provost Marshal Willie and his lady Grace welcomed the Provosts and their ladies to an open-house. It was very well attended and it was clearly apparent that everyone who marched had developed hunger and thirst that needed satisfying. Those who were able to attend this gathering are still marking it as one of the memorable events of the year.

The Kena Temple family picnic was held on July 17th. Although it was a real scorcher, 98 degrees that day, the Nobility kept suitably cool and relaxed in the Kena Temple ballroom. Everyone who attended had a great time and an abundance of food and refreshments.

Many of the Provosts have been vacationing this Summer and enjoying the relaxations at the beach and in the mountains. Hopefully all of you will survive the Summer heat and that it will be cooler when the temple holds

their annual Carnival from August 22nd through September 3rd in the parking lot of Montgomery Ward at Seven Corners. You and your ladies have always contributed readily at this event in the past and we will be needing your help again this year. The harder you work at the Carnival the sweeter the rest will be the following week in Myrtle Beach at the S.A.S.A. convention.

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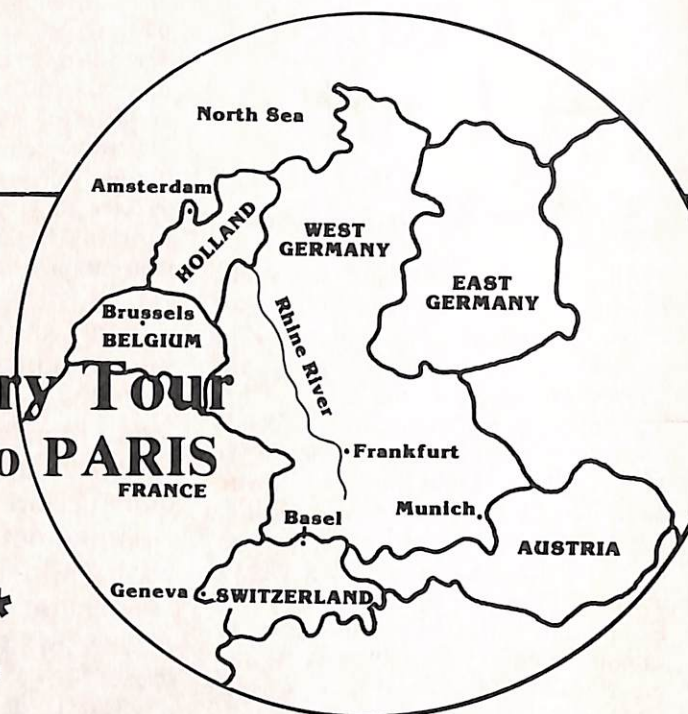
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by: Bill C. Jordan, President

At this time, I would like to welcome each of the Nobles of the spring class into the greatest temple of the A.A.O.N.M.S. New Nobles should plan to join a unit or club and enjoy the benefits that can be yours. I know that all new nobles could easily see that the active members of units have a good time. That was just a small show of some of the bigger and better events that are available to you during the year.

There is no better time than the present for all Nobles to start to ask our Masonic Brethren to join the Shrine and let's have an even larger class in the fall. It was a very outstanding night for the good turnout of Nobles at Shrine Night at Alexandria/Washington Lodge No. 22. All in attendance should give Worshipful Skip Callahan a hand for a well planned and organized evening. Our attendance at the blue lodges on shrine night is a very small way of showing our appreciation to Illustrious Gordon C. Thomson for the very fine job he is doing.

At this time, I would like to express to the members of the Club just how important it is to attend the meetings and participate in the events. We have many activities during the year and you are missing a great deal of enjoyment when you miss the events and cannot see the appreciation shown by

the spectators on the sidelines or the fellowship at Masonic gatherings. I urge everyone to make good use of the Kenagram and read the articles and make note of the coming events.

I can always put dependency in Noble Rich Case. I know he has many other things to do, but he finds time among all his other activities to be present so many times. I know he is just as faithful to the other organizations that he belongs to. There are times when everyone cannot do as they wish, but you would be surprised just how much a little effort will do. After the Parade in Falls Church, Rich and I went to Noble Ray Rodgers home and Noble Ray and his Lady, Brenda, had made preparations for the members of the Club. We had a very enjoyable get together and had an enjoyable time before we departed to return. Without hesitation or reservation, I can truthfully say that Noble Ray and his Lady, Brenda, are a fine Host and Hostess. Take advantage of your Kenagram and plan to attend the coming events. We'll be looking for all of you!



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